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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.121(a)**

In response to the Office Action dated  
October 10, 2003 please amend the above-identified  
application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of  
claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 13 of this paper.

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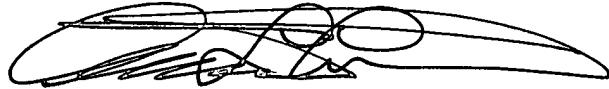
**FEE TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

The additional claim filing fee required for the accompanying amendment submitted in connection with the above-captioned application is **\$ 45.00**. The additional claim filing fee has been calculated as follows:

	<u>Independent</u>	<u>Total claims</u>
Claims now pending	<b>8</b>	<b>32</b>
Less: Highest number of claims previously paid for	<b>11</b>	<b>27</b>
Fee due:	<b>0 x \$43.00 + 5 x \$9.00 = \$ 45.00</b>	
Fee for newly added multiple dependent claims:	<b>\$ 00.00</b>	
Additional Filing Fee enclosed:	<b>\$ 45.00</b>	

A check in the amount of \$ 45.00 is enclosed to cover this fee. In the event this check is unacceptable, insufficient or is omitted, please charge the additional or entire cost, as appropriate, to our Deposit Account number 13-3083. To facilitate that charge, a duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,



January 8, 2004

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**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING under 37 C.F.R. 1.8(a)**

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited on **January 9, 2004** with the United States Postal Service as first class mail, with sufficient postage, in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.



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